

Attorney's Docket No.: 108 54001 / A36-129092M/YS

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Rikihiro Iida  
Serial No. : 09/781,049  
Filed : February 9, 2001  
Title : DFB LASER DRIVING DEVICE, DFB LASER DRIVING METHOD AND  
STORAGE MEDIUM

Art Unit : 2828  
Examiner : Cornelius H. Jackson

## MAIL STOP AF

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

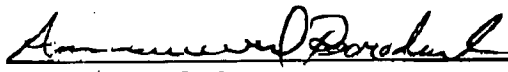
REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 26, 2003

In reply to the final action mailed March 26, 2003, applicant submits the following remarks. Applicant asks that all claims be allowed in view of the remarks contained on the following sheets, a total of 6 pages.

Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 6/23/03

  
Samuel Borodach  
Reg. No. 38,388

Fish & Richardson P.C.  
45 Rockefeller Plaza, Suite 2800  
New York, New York 10111  
Telephone: (212) 765-5070  
Facsimile: (212) 258-2291

30152379.doc

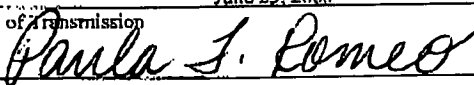
FAX RECEIVED

JUN 23 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

## (CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION BY FACSIMILE)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by facsimile to the Patent and Trademark Office on the date indicated below.

Date of Transmission June 23, 2003  
  
Signature

Paula T. Romeo  
Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate